




Focus Occupation: **Service Unit Operators, Oil, Gas, and Mining** (47-5013)

Focus occupation: Service Unit Operators, Oil, Gas, and Mining	
Employment and Growth	899/ 6.8%
Ave. Monthly Wage	\$4,860
Education/Experience	Less than high school

Advance FROM Focus Occupation				
Occupation	Rung	Employment/ Growth	Education/Experience	Similarity
Geological and Petroleum Technicians (19-4041) 	3	939/ 8.7%	AA	70
Rotary Drill Operators, Oil and Gas (47-5012)	3	307/ 7.7%	Any	100
Electrical and Electronic Engineering Technicians (17-3023) 	2	556/ 7.5%	AA	70
Gas Plant Operators (51-8092)	2	130/ 10.2%	HS	75
Derrick Operators, Oil and Gas (47-5011)	1	66/ 6.5%	Any	79

Transfer TO and FROM Focus Occupation				
Occupation	Rung	Employment/ Growth	Education/Experience	Similarity
Extraction Workers, All Other (47-5099)	0	243/ 17.4%	HS	96
Gas Compressor and Gas Pumping Station Operators (53-7071)	0	127/ 8.5%	Any	70

Advance TO Focus Occupation				
Occupation	Rung	Employment/ Growth	Education/Experience	Similarity
Pump Operators, Except Wellhead Pumps (53-7072)	-1	77/ 8.5%	Any	81
Roustabouts, Oil and Gas (47-5071)	-1	1,600/ 6.8%	Any	76
Helpers--Extraction Workers (47-5081)	-2	325/ 8.7%	HS	80
Production Workers, All Other (51-9199) 	-2	526/ 8.0%	HS	87

Important note: A worker does not necessarily have to traverse every rung to advance to or from the focus occupation. Occupations above and below the focus occupation are directly related to the focus occupation, but they are not necessarily directly related to each other. For example, actors and athletes are both related to agents of artists, performers, and athletes, but actors and athletes are not directly related to each other.

Analysis and development of the career lattice is by the Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section.

Data sources used for research and analysis: O*NET (Occupation Information Network), Alaska Occupational Data Base (ODB), Standard Occupational Classification Manual, North American Industry Classification System manual, Bureau of Labor Statistics Occupational Employer Survey (OES) wage estimates.